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### MORE FIGURES FROM ELECTION

Oklahoma City, Ok., Aug. 8.—Fifty-two counties making official returns to the State Election Board show that repeal of the coal bill section is still leading with the high vote, its total being 67,706, with the tax distribution amendment second. The amendment to Sec. 9, has fallen to third place. Measured by returns thus far received, all propositions have carried, although the constitutional amendment permitting counties to abolish by special vote township form of government is losing ground. Out of 6,000 individual majority it has less than 800 constitutional majority in the fifty-two counties.

Sec. 9 failed in seven counties. While that question has an individual majority of 15,361, its constitutional majority measured by the miners' referendum is only 7,255. Woodward county, the home of Jack Love, chairman of the corporation commission, the only commissioner opposing the amendment gave the question an affirmative majority of 269.

The miners' referendum and the reduction of the Board of Agriculture carried in all the counties heard from. Distribution of the corporation school tax was defeated in eight and the township office amendment in fourteen counties.

Votes on the question in the fifty counties were.  
Section 9—Yes, 41,109; No, 25,748.  
Miners' referendum—Yes, 51,547; No, 16,559.

Distribution of corporation tax—Yes, 43,828; No, 23,254.

Permitting abolishment of township offices—Yes, 34,633; No, 28,631.

Reduction of Board of Agriculture—Yes, 46,185; No, 17,826.

Counties cast from 10 to 50 per cent of their normal vote. Secretary Riley estimates there were about 4,000 silent votes in the fifty-two counties.

### NOTICE MASONS.

Ada Lodge, A. F. & A. M., will meet in called communication this evening. Work in Master's degree.

M. F. MANVILLE, W. M.

### THE NET IS CLOSING

#### DALLAS COUNTY OFFICIAL THINK THEY HAVE MURDERER OF MISS BROWN SPOTTED.

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 9.—"Things are narrowing down so close that something is bound to happen," said Sheriff B. F. Brandenburg yesterday in commenting upon the mysterious murder of Miss Florence Brown in this city on July 28.

"The guilty party has a pretty good idea that we are closing in on him. He will have to give up," significantly added the sheriff.

"There is hope for a more convincing proof than any knife or trace we have yet found," said J. D. Robinson. "We believe that the lines are closing and that within them is the person responsible for the death of my niece."

"I'd rather work than talk; that's what we are here for—I don't know anything to tell," was all that Detective Chief Tanner would say.

"We are working hopefully—that's all," said Chief of Police Ryan.

The foregoing statements obtained yesterday indicate the inside conditions prevailing at the different investigating headquarters from which

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dozens of detectives are sent out each day to struggle frantically to solve the mystery surrounding the death of Miss Brown. The significance of these statements, and the finding of the knife upon the blade of which was found a bloody finger mark are considered to indicate a much more encouraging prospect than has been the case.

The officers, in short, seem to feel that an arrest will be made soon. This feeling is shared by the relatives of the young woman. The Grand Jury has been assisting in the investigation and every manner of clew has been followed to the end.

There is no question about the discovery of a knife. The weapon is not the one referred to in some quarters yesterday as having been discovered by a peddler nor is it one of the score or more said to have been taken to police headquarters in the last few days. The blade was distinctly marked with a finger print. Also, the officers say, there was something else on the blade which a chemist said certainly was blood.

The officers are practically unanimous in declaring, however, that they have been unable to establish that this blade is in any manner connected

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with the tragedy.

Every person who heard or saw anything in connection with the office on the fateful Monday morning has been questioned closely and repeatedly in the hope that something would occur to the speaker which might throw light on the mystery.

More than one automobile has been placed at the disposal of the police. Many times during the day they hurried to places where it was thought something might be developed.

The theory that robbery was the motive for the crime is not now accepted by any of the officers. They believe that an affront had been offered to the young lady, that she resented it and that the fear of discovery led to murder.

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The out of town guests present were Misses Parish, Wall, Brown, Mildred and Phyllis Steiner, Anderson, Bronough and Cook. Those from Ada: Misses Annie Mae and Chambliss Sims, Ross, Sowers, Reed, Lee, Tolbert, Faust, Wales, Chauncey and Griffith; Messrs. Willbanks, Shelton, Raines, Phelps, Cummings, Biles, McCain, Bobbitt, Griffith, Granger, Condre, Williams, Reed, McKinney, Sugg Thompson, Prince, Saffarans, Simpson, Dean, Daugherty.

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The friends of Judge Robert L. Williams are feeling out the voters of the state with reference to the advisability of his becoming a candidate for governor next spring. Judge Williams is one of the big men of Oklahoma. He served in the constitutional convention of the state and there is not a man in Oklahoma who is better acquainted with the affairs of the state and there is no reason why Judge Williams could not occupy the gubernatorial chair with honor to himself and credit to the state.—Ardmore.

Superintendent Richards of Ardmore, is being spoken of in this county for State Superintendent. Prof. Johnston of the Tishomingo High School says he is the man for the place.—Johnston Co. Capital-Democrat.

Prof. Johnston is evidently correct in his estimate of Supt. Richards. We have been intimately acquainted with him for the past twelve years and if a change in the office should occur any time in the future a better man could not be found for it.

**KEEP YOUR EYES ON KINGFISHER**  
Kingfisher County, peopled by aggressive farmers and business men, has taken a new and firm grip on industrial and agricultural affairs, and from this time forward, it will be well to keep a sharp lookout on Kingfisher county.

With no very large cities in that county, the business men have organized to develop the county, knowing full well that such development means bigger cities in Kingfisher county.

Bankers, merchants and professional men in Hennessey, Kingfisher and other progressive little cities of that county form automobile trips, and scout about the county holding meetings in every community, to cement townspeople with the people who are

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## Churches

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
9:45 Sunday school, Orville Snead, Supt., Miss Knight, Chorus Director.  
11:00 subject, "Jesus and the Royal Arch."  
Solo: "Come Unto Him," Miss Nell Anderson.  
5:00 p. m., Junior Endeavor. Miss Tolbert, Director.  
8:15 p. m., subject, "Duty, Neglect and Reproof."  
Solo, "Just for Today," Miss Nell Anderson.  
**M. B. MOLLOY, Pastor.**

**Asbury Methodist.**  
Sunday school, Dan Newton, Supt., 10 a. m.  
Morning service, subject, "Soul Winning," 11 a. m.  
Junior League, Mrs. McGuyre, Supt., 7:30 p. m.  
Senior League, Miss Lerline Chisler, Leader, 7:45 p. m.  
Evening service, subject, "Tragic Mistakes," 8:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, J. T. Henderson, Leader, 8:15 p. m.  
**WADE W. JOHNSON, Pastor.**

**First Methodist Church.**  
Services at the First Methodist church will be held tomorrow as follows:  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., T. W. Robison, Supt.  
Preaching at 11 a. m., subject, "The Lamb of God."  
Young People's League at 7:15 p. m.  
Preaching at 8:15 p. m., subject, "Today the Day of Salvation."  
The ordinance of baptism will be administered to infants at the beginning of the morning service, and all members with unbaptized children are urged to be present.  
A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend the services of our church. Strangers will be welcome.  
**CHAS. L. BROOKS, Pastor.**

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## SENATOR JOHNSTON OF ALABAMA IS DEAD

Washington, Aug. 8.—The death of United States Senator Joseph F. Johnston of Alabama, which occurred here unexpectedly today, reduces the Democratic membership of the senate from fifty-one to fifty, and reduces the narrow margin of two majority which the democrats have on the sugar schedule of the tariff bill to a margin of one, provided that all Republicans and Progressives vote against the Democratic schedule.

In view of the narrowness of the Democratic control of the senate, the death of Senator Johnston creates an immediate interest in what the governor of Alabama will do in the matter of a successor. In view of the great change wrought by the constitutional amendment prescribing direct election of senators. Under the new constitutional provision it is required that upon the occurrence of a vacancy in the senate the governor of the state concerned shall order a special election within thirty days to fill the unexpired term, unless that legislature shall have provided for a temporary appointment by the governor to fill the vacancy.

As the Alabama Legislature does not meet until 1915, a new Senator could not come from that state until after thirty days, should a special election be called within that period. In view of the great need of the democrats in the Senate for a Democrat to take Senator Johnston's place, pressure is being brought to bear, and the belief is entertained here that the governor of Alabama will convene the Legislature in special session immediately so that a law can be passed giving the governor power to make a temporary appointment. The impression also prevails here that in event the governor is empowered to fill the vacancy temporarily he will name John B. Knox of Anniston, a distinguished lawyer and chairman of the last constitutional convention of the state.

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## NEWS FORECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—President Wilson's plans for currency legislation at the present session of congress will be advanced an important step on Monday, when a currency bill will be reported to a caucus of the Democrats of the House.

A State-wide mass convention of Republicans and Progressives of Maryland is to meet in Baltimore Thursday to complete amalgamation with a view to defeating the Democrats in the coming senatorial election. A committee appointed for the purpose has drawn up a declaration of principles for the reunited party. This is said to contain practically all the planks, with the exception of the recall of judicial decisions, advocated by Theodore Roosevelt in the national Progressive party platform.

Beginning Saturday, elimination trial races for the German-American sonderclass yacht competition will be held off Marblehead, Mass., for cups offered by President Woodrow Wilson and Governor Foss of Massachusetts. Saturday is the day fixed for the start from Southampton, England, in the waterplane flight round Great Britain for the \$25,000 prize offered by the proprietors of the Daily Mail of London. The flight must be finished by August 30. Should no aircraft have completed the course within the stipulated time the donors of the prize reserve to themselves the right to extend the period or to put off the competition until next year.

Plans for a widespread campaign for "votes for women," to be carried into all the States of the Union now having woman suffrage, will be laid at a conference of the National Council of Women Voters, which will begin in Washington Wednesday and continue three days.

Other important gatherings of the week will include the triennial convocation of Knights Templars in Denver, the annual convention of the American Federation of Catholic Societies in Milwaukee, and the annual convention of the International Typographical Union in Nashville.

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Lawrence, Lowell, Worcester and Portland are putting up a real fight for the New England league pennant.

Robert of the Phillies, Carey of the Pirates, and Konetchy of the Cardinals are leading the National league run-getters.

Jack Fournier, of the White Sox, gives promise of developing into one of the fastest outfielders in the American league.

McCarty, of Newark, is leading the batsmen and Wilhelm, of Rochester, is leading the pitchers in the International league.

With Mathewson, Marquard and Demaree pitching gilt-edged ball, the Giants will doubtless breeze in pulled up in the National league race.

The Columbus team has been putting up a great fight for the American association pennant this season, with only one .300 batter, Miller, in the line-up.

Hugh Jennings' Tigers have been near the brink all season, and now with Vitt on the sick list the Tigers might as well throw their bat and ball over the fence.

The St. Louis Browns have put a crim pin the winning streaks of pitchers and clubs more often than any other team in the American league. Pitcher Joe Boehling is the Brown's latest victim.

The two chickens, Pitchers Foster and Leonard, are doing their share in keeping the champion Red Sox on the sporting page. Without the services of these two rookies the Sox would most likely be over in the classified columns by now.

Rumors are traveling about to the effect that the major league moguls will be drawn into a baseball war before the opening of next season. It is said the Federal league plans an Eastern invasion, also that the Baseball Players' Fraternity, which includes practically all big league players, will demand a number of changes in the present contracts between players and clubs.

**Liquor Drouth Is Promise of Enloe.**  
McAlester, Okla., Aug. 8.—Mayor B. A. Enloe, Jr., arrived home from Washington Friday bearing a commission as United States marshal for the eastern district of Oklahoma. He will wind up his business as mayor and resign in about ten days. He said this part of the state will be made dry if possible and that he was informed in Washington that the eastern part of the state had given the department much trouble and that a change must be made.

**Concatenation of Hoo Hoo.**  
New Orleans, La., Aug. 9.—Hoo Hoo from all parts of Louisiana assembled here today for the annual concatenation. Owing to a recent fatality in

Alabama, at an initiation meeting of another order, the Hoo Hoo have decided to discontinue the use of electricity in its initiations.

**Ohio Protecting Game and Birds.**  
Columbus, O., Aug. 9.—A law passed by the last Ohio legislature requiring hunters to have licenses will come into effect tomorrow. The license fee is \$1 an dland owners, their children or tenants are exempt when hunting on their own lands. Neither quail nor pheasant can be shot this fall without violation of the law. There will be no open season for these birds in Ohio until 1915.

**Jungle Jottings.**  
Paul Rainey, the lion hunter, talked on his last sojourn in New York, about Africa.

"Bendigama is an African king whom I met on my travels," he said. "Bendigama, black and herculean has 83 wives. He is noted among his tribe for his cynical philosophy, which deals in the main with women. Here are a few of Bendigama's cynicisms: "A woman would rather be one of 83 wives than one of none.

"From the number of their divorces it is plain that Americans are polygamous. "Wives nurse grievances like children and love them quite as well. See to it, then, that your wives have large families of grievances to make them happy gamists.

"When the cook spoils the broth, put her in the pot to make more. "One wife is like one meal a day, and thatmeal always the same food. "When you want a woman, take her if you can. If you can't, make her feel that the loss is hers."

**Christian Church.**  
Bible school 9:45.  
Morning worship 11 a. m., sermon subject, "Watching Unto God."  
Duet, "He Did Not Die in Vain," Tullar.  
Evening worship, 8:15, subject, "The Wages of Sin."  
Male Quartet, "He Knows It All," by Finley Lyon.  
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## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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MAJESTIC—"ALKALI IKE"

Prof. E. A. McMillan returned from his trip to Davis Friday afternoon.

Miss Byrd Prewett visited at Coal-gate today.

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John Chauncey left this morning on a business trip to Fort Smith and other points.

J. W. Davis and son Don were up from Roff today. Mr. Davis talks like he is well pleased with his new location.

R. F. Wright and wife left this morning for Fredonia, Kansas, where they were called by the illness of Mr. Wright's sister.

I have a few slightly used sewing machines that I will sell at a bargain, cash on time.—W. C. Williams, at Aldrich's grocery. Telephone 329. 103-6t

Misses Gertrude Case of Corpus Christi and Martha Porter of Belton, Texas, are the guests of Mrs. R. A. Herndon.

W. B. Cochran, who now lives at Coleman, was in the city this morning and stated that crops in that section are fine.

Mrs. E. S. Ratliff and children returned Friday from their visit to Texas.

Mrs. Leslie Maxey, who has been ill of fever for some days past, is reported to be improving as rapidly as could be expected.

MAJESTIC—"ALKALI IKE"

Last of the season to clean out our \$8.50 Lingerie Dresses have decided to run them for \$3.48. See show window. Come quick before they are picked over. GRAND LEADER. 105-3t

G. L. Carroll and R. W. Simpson are preparing to open a Surprise store at Wetumka. The new store will open about Sept. 1 and will be under the personal management of Mr. Carroll.

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R. C. Roland of Ada, county attorney of Pontotoc county, was attending district court this week. Mr. Roland informs the Democrat that he will probably be a candidate for the state senate next year in the Seminole-Pontotoc district.—Wewoka Democrat.

The advertising car of the Al. G. Barnes show was in the city today and thoroughly posted the place with advertising matter. Evidently this show is one that means business.

Milton Garner and wife of Stratford were to Ada visitors today.

It is freely rumored on the streets that T. J. Smith of this city will be a candidate for sheriff at the next election. T. J. is well known in Johnston county and if he starts out after the office he will make the boys "go some."—Tishomingo Capital.

MAJESTIC—"ALKALI IKE"

Editor Crossett of the Caddo Herald accompanied by his little son, were Ada visitors today and paid the News a pleasant call. Mr. Crossett is one of the veteran editors of the state in point of service and a man who ranks high in the fraternity.

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Three pictures at the Airdome this evening as usual. The first will be a hypnotic comedy entitled, "The Will Power." The next will feature Louis Weber and Phillip Smalley in "The Burden Bearer." Then comes the ever popular animated weekly.

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IOWA JUDGE DECIDES

WEBB LAW UNCONSTITUTIONAL

Ottumwa, Iowa, Aug. 9.—The Webb-Kenyon law, prohibiting the shipment of liquor from "wet" to "dry" states, is unconstitutional, State District Judge F. M. Hunter ruled in a decision today.

The action was started by several express companies which were attacked by state officials because they shipped liquor to dry counties from Illinois and Missouri. One suit was started here and another at Centerville, but the actions were joined in court.

The express companies held that the law was void, because it delegated authority from Congress to the States to regulate interstate commerce in liquor which power, Judge Hunter says, belongs to congress alone and can not be delegated.

First Baptist Church.

On account of the absence of the pastor, there will be no preaching services Sunday. Sunday school and other services as usual.

## PUSHING WORK ON

### BYRD'S MILL ROAD

Three of the hardest worked men in Ada just now are R. E. Blanks, A. K. Thornton and E. S. Haraway, who are devoting their energies to improving the Byrd's Mill road. With the active co-operation of the farmers living along the Byrd's Mill road and the help of the county prisoners that thoroughfare is being put in fine shape along its worst spots. The crew has been at work this week on the bad hill just north of the brick plant and next week the plan is to improve the hill south of the bridge a mile or two beyond where they are now at work. Those who have seen the road declare that the work being done is first class in every particular.

Typos Gather in Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 9.—Two thousand delegates and visitors from all parts of the United States and Canada are in Nashville for the fifty-ninth annual convention of the International Typographical Union. The convention will open Monday in the assembly chamber of the State Capitol, when addresses of welcome will be delivered by Governor Hooper, Mayor Howse and representatives of the local union.

Features of the opening day will be the annual reports of President Lynch, Secretary Treasurer Hays and other officers and permanent committees. These reports will show a gratifying increase in membership the past year and a financial condition better than ever before in the history of the organization.

The convention sessions will continue a week or ten days. The entertainment program will include many trips to nearby points of historic interest, principally places made famous because of the part they played in the civil war.

Anti-Alien Law in Force.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 9.—The Webb anti-alien land law, passed by the California legislature last spring and which called forth a vigorous protest from Japan and is still a subject of diplomatic negotiation between that country and the United States, will come into effect tomorrow. The law prohibits aliens from owning land in California. While applying to all aliens alike the law affects mostly the Japanese, who of late years have acquired extensive land holdings in California and who are obliged to remain aliens because of the law debarring them from citizenship.

Marriage Licenses.

Henry Hawkins, Stratford, 23; Ella Hughes, Stratford, 20.

Harrison Perry, Ada, 25; Minnie Clark, Ada, 36.

James Hanks, Bebee, 28; Sudia Walker, Maxwell, 16.

T. E. Bates, Francis, 34; Tinnie A. Bryant, Francis, 22.

A. F. Dillard, Ahloso, 46; Hattie Southerland, Ada, 35.

J. H. Nunner, Lawrence, 23; Cinda Jones, Roff, 23.

D. D. Bayless, Roff, 24; Lassie Tanner, Ada, 22.

E. H. Roundtree, Vanoss, 21; Eva Henry, Vanoss, 18.

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Friday afternoon the Ahloso and Frisco schools held a joint session at Ahloso. The first event was a ball game in which Ahloso was victor by a score of 18 to 5. Then came supper at 6 o'clock at which about 125 were present. After supper came a spelling contest which was also won by Ahloso. A ciphering contest followed and the Frisco pupils demonstrated their superiority in that line, winning the contest with ease.

A similar event will be pulled off at Frisco two weeks hence.

Mrs. Blanks Entertains.

Friday morning Mrs. A. B. Blanks entertained a number of friends at a 500 party given in honor of Miss McKelvin, who has been her guest several days.

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## TANNER PLEADS GUILTY

It has been truthfully said that "malice is the property of a small soul," and it can likewise be said that slurs, insult and slander are the weapons of a coward.

I very much deplore the action that A. D. Tanner has taken in regard to the little suit that was filed in the Justice Court by Dr. King against him for negligence in office. This case was tried a few days ago and resulted in favor of Mr. Tanner, from which decision the plaintiff appealed.

I had no more to do with this case than hundreds of other people in Pontotoc County have to do with cases, merely acting as a witness, and regret very much that I even had to act as a witness and would not have appeared in the case in this capacity had it not been that I had been informed by one of the witnesses for Mr. Tanner prior to the trial that unless I dismissed the case I would encounter serious trouble. I had no authority to dismiss this case, and still have none, and as above said the case has been appealed to the County Court where it will be tried out in a more thorough manner.

Meantime I will say that I deplore such articles as appeared in the Star-Democrat of August 6, 1913, which article is as full of mistakes and mis-statements as an article of its kind would naturally be.

A statement like this coming from a county official elected by the people to the high office of District Clerk is almost unthinkable, and carries with it the air of the big 250 pounder who boasted to his wife, "I'm agoin ter fight a cripple, and I'm goin' to use a club."

(Adv.) JOHN Q. ADAMS.

NOTICE.

The Christian Woman's Board of Missions will meet at the Christian church Monday, Aug. 11, at 4 p. m. Subject for discussion, "Africa's Need and Our Response; What It Is and What It Should Be." Response at Roll Call. Name some missionary in Africa. Leader, Mrs. Biles.

MRS. WYMORE, Pres.

Reunion of the Alden Kindred.

Duxbury, Mass., Aug. 9.—Descendants of John Alden and Priscilla Mullins—the Pilgrim lovers immortalized by Longfellow—gathered here today for the thirteenth annual reunion of the Alden Kindred of America, held at the old homestead. There are now 3,000 members of this branch of the Aldens in this city. Contributions were made at the reunion today to pay for a tablet in memory of John Alden which is to be placed on the Pilgrim Memorial at Southampton, England.

News Changes Collectors.

The News has employed Moke Cassidy as its subscription collector. If any discrepancies are found in any account with former collectors the News will be pleased to know of them at once so that the year can be straightened out and the books corrected to date.

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## HUERTA HAS OBJECTIONS

WILL NOT WELCOME SPECIAL AMBASSADOR UNLESS GOVERNMENT IS RECOGNIZED.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Tension over the Mexican situation was conspicuous throughout today in official circles.

President Wilson and Secretary Bryan, in an early conference, discussed a message from Manuel Garza Aldape, Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs, stating formally, in behalf of President Huerta, that unless John Lind, personal representative of President Wilson, en route to the Mexican capital, bore credentials recognizing the Huerta government, his presence in Mexico would be undesirable.

Later the American Embassy at the City of Mexico, through Nelson O'Shaughnessy, Charge d'Affairs, was instructed to explain to the Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs that the information on which his statement must have been based could not have come from the state department here as no official declaration of Mr. Lind's purposes in visiting Mexico has been made. Mr. Bryan also issued the following statement:

"The statement of the Mexican Foreign office was based on misrepresentations for which this government is not responsible. In sending Gov. Lind as adviser to the embassy, the President is entirely within his rights, and this department will not assume that his going will be regarded as unfriendly when the character of his mission is understood."

It also was announced by Secretary Bryan that Mr. Lind would not arrive at Vera Cruz before Saturday evening. Secretary Daniels of the Navy Department explained in this connection that while the battleship New Hampshire could make the trip from Galveston to Vera Cruz in thirty-six hours, minimum time, the ordi-

nary time for the journey would be about fifty or sixty hours. And he indicated the Administration did not regard Mr. Lind's mission as necessarily requiring great haste.

Some officials saw advantage in proceeding slowly, however, so as to afford the Huerta Administration an opportunity to become more fully acquainted with the purposes of Mr. Lind's visit than they have been hitherto.

Administration officials take the position that objections to Mr. Lind's presence in Mexico are unwarranted as the general public is not acquainted with the proposals which he carries nor the method by which he intends to submit them.

On Mr. Lind's arrival these proposals will be made public in the City of Mexico and Washington simultaneously and transmitted here to all the foreign governments represented in the United States.

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### Seek to Delay Girl's Trial.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 9.—When Miss Augusta Edwards, the striking-looking stenographer who emptied a six-shooter into the body of George Riehl on July 24, is arraigned in court Monday a vigorous attempt will be made by counsel to have her trial deferred until fall.

The slaying of Riehl, a wealthy shirt manufacturer, was one of the most spectacular murders in the well-filled history of crime in this city. Meeting the man in the heart of the business district at 8 o'clock in the evening, where the streets were thronged with people, the girl coolly pushed the man away from her as she opened her shopping bag and pulled forth a revolver. The spectators had no chance to interfere between the six rapidly fired shots. Every bullet lodged in the man's body. The angry woman evidently relying on the sureness of her aim to protect those beyond her victim.

Miss Edwards accuses the man she killed with her ruin. The day of the crime she learned that he had a wife and could not carry out his promise to marry her. This, coupled with the fact that she had received a message from him saying all was over between them, is believed to have led to the murder.

This is the third killing of the kind that has occurred in New Orleans recently. In each of the previous cases the accused woman was acquitted.

Miss Rena Naron of Checotah, who was the guest of Miss May Miller, returned home this morning accompanied by Miss Miller.

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"It sure will," agreed Neligan. "Let's see—it must be close on five years, now, that Standish and Robertson have been at each other's throats. Five years—no, six. Ever since Robertson ran for governor and Standish dug up that smelly franchise deal against him. Robertson's had it in for him ever since."

"Just when I'm all loaded up to the guards with perfectly good stock that will go to pieces like a card house when the bill falls!" wailed Gregg.

"Cut out the whine!" ordered Neligan. "You aren't the only man who's bought stock that Standish will turn into waste paper. Oh, that man Standish! He's got the country running after him like a flock of hens after the farmer at feeding-time. They think his private life's got Saint Peter and Anthony Comstock lashed to the mast and that his politics are so pure they'd make Abraham Lincoln feel like a ward heeler. He's no man. He's a bloodless saint. I don't believe he ever so much as squeezed a woman's hand in his life or swigged anything stronger than sarsaparilla. How are we going to get the books into a fellow like that?"

"I don't know how!" flared Van Dyke. "But it's Jim Blake's business to know. He was supposed to be running the house and holding our men together. What's Jim been doing to let things get away from him like this?"

"Ah, can it!" snarled Neligan, at once up in arms in defense of his adored leader. "Throw the blame all over the shop if you've got to. Rub it into our hair. But don't spill any of it on Jim Blake. Tell me this, before you hand out any more kindly criticisms: Did Jim ever lose a trick that any mortal man could have taken? Did he? Isn't he the best house leader or the organization ever had? Hasn't he put you people into the way of grabbing millions?"

"Cool off, Neligan," laughed Van Dyke. "Why, good lord, Tim, I think as much of Jim Blake as you do. He's a splendid upright man and—"

"He is not!" fiercely contradicted Neligan. "He's a grafter. And everybody knows it. But, by the powers, he's the very best grafter in the business. And, what's more, he's my friend. And—"

"And the best way to show we agree on at least one thing," said Van Dyke, rising and laying a hand on each of his companions' shoulder, "is to adjourn to the bar and see what effect three or four cocktails will have on the department of the interior. Come along. We can leave word to be sent for when Jim comes in."

Having thus calmed the storm in the one possible fashion, he led the



"I Got as Much Pride in My Own Way, I Guess, as You Have, Maybe More."

way toward the bar, the two others following amicably enough. As they passed the switchboard Wanda Kelly's voice was droning:

"H'lo. No. Mr. Standish isn't in yet. Yes. A'ri."

### CHAPTER IV.

The Clash.

The telephone girl looked up a minute later to see Tom Blake hanging once more over the rail.

"I got a telegram from Grace," said he. "She sent it to me, I suppose, instead of to dad or Mark because she knew I'd be loafing around the hotel at this hour and she didn't know where either of them would be back from the capitol. Says she'll be in Washington at eight. But, being a woman or else thinking I'm a mind-reader, she doesn't say whether it'll be eight this evening or eight tomorrow morning. I've been looking everywhere, since I got it, to find Mark and—Excuse me!"

Ex-Governor Robertson was crossing the corridor toward them and Tom hurried to meet him with the telegram. Robertson's cold face, as he read the dispatch, softened in a way that would have amazed his political

foes.

"Good!" he said emphatically. "But why doesn't she tell whether she means tonight or in the morning? Isn't that just like Grace?"

"Why not call her up on long distance?" suggested Tom. "If she'll be here at eight tonight she'll have left New York long before now. And if she isn't coming till morning—"

"Good idea!" assented Robertson starting for the telephone alcove. "Sometimes you actually show a gleam of human intelligence, Tom, in spite of the way you've taken to mooning around lately. I'll—"

He stopped short, and the unwelcome look of happiness froze from his face. He and Tom, on their way to the alcove, were passing the short flight of steps that led down from the outer foyer to the corridor.

And a man was coming down those steps. A tall man, whose shoulders were slightly stooped, whose dark hair was beginning to grizzle at the temples, whose swarthy and somewhat heavy face was lined and hardened by marks that did not seem to have come from time's brush alone.

At sight of him Robertson halted. His face darkened and his hands involuntarily clenched. The newcomer glanced across and his eye met the ex-governor's lowering gaze; then passed carelessly on to Tom.

"Good evening, gentlemen," he said.

"Good evening, Mr. Standish," answered Tom.

Robertson barely returned the other's nod. But as Standish made as though to pass on, he took an impulsive step toward the insurgent chief.

"Well, Standish," he observed, steadying his voice by a palpable effort into some semblance of civility. "I understand the fight's on for tonight."

"Yes," answered Standish, pausing as though merely to wait until the other should move from his path. "An all-night session, probably."

Again, with a nod, he started toward the dining room. But once more Mark Robertson's voice checked him.

"Did it ever occur to you, Standish," demanded Mark, "that by opposing the Mullins bill you are betraying the party that elected you?"

Standish regarded him a moment with somber eyes from which all personal emotions seemed long since to have been burned away. Then he said in the heavy measured voice that had for years been characteristic of him:

"Did it ever occur to you, Robertson, that by trying to force the Mullins bill through, you are betraying the people who voted for you?"

"Oh, be sensible!" urged Robertson; and Tom, who knew his brother-in-law, noted the mighty effort with which the attempt at conciliation was kept up.

"We're both politicians. There's no sense in spouting noble sentiments for my benefit. Keep them for your parsons. I was promised the speakership. And to get it away from me you turned insurgent. The Mullins bill—tonight's battle—means nothing to you but a test of power. There's no principle involved. If you can kill the bill—it will prove only you're strong enough to depose our speaker and put yourself in his chair. That's your game. Why pose as a reformer?"

"You're quite wrong," said Standish, with a certain irritating patience. "I haven't any pose. If I had I should not bother to display it for your benefit. I am not hypocrite enough to say I don't want every legitimate political reward I can earn. Who doesn't? But that's not why I'm fighting this Mullins bill of yours. And at heart you know it isn't. I'm trying to kill this bill because it is an offense to the country's nostrils. The bill is innocent enough on its face. Van Dyke and the rest look at that, I suppose. But when I looked at it more closely I saw it was framed to legalize the over-capitalization of every railroad in the United States and to undo what little good a few decent lawmakers have been struggling for years to accomplish."

"Then—"

"You know I'm right. That is the Mullins bill's real object. That is why you people tried to rush it through before we could have a chance to pick it apart and to hunt for the 'nigger in the wood-pile.' Well, I've studied it closely enough to make sure the pile contains very little except niggers. And I've made the public see it, too."

"Never mind bringing in your services to the dear public. You get your pay for that from them, not from me. The point is, you are lining up with our enemies. Standish, I'm not given to threatening; but from now on you're going to have an active life."

"I understand. And I look for nothing else. If the party that elected me is betraying the people, then I must fight that party. And I'm going to. Understand me clearly. I'm going to."

And the heavy slow voice held no note of threat, nor did it show the faintest traces of excitement. To Tom Blake, the conversation's non-combatant, the insurgent's rather turgid words carried far stronger message for this very absence of emotion. But they served merely to strip from Mark Robertson his last shreds of diplomatic armor.

"Ju talk like a reform candidate for poundmaster at Pompton, N. J.," he retorted. "I've done nothing every

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one else isn't doing every day. Nothing that the custom of centuries hasn't legitimated; and nothing, I believe, that you haven't done. You've made the people think you're a little tin god. But you can't make me think it.

"I can't now remember," said Standish wearily, "having tried to."

"Well, you probably know it would be time wasted," snapped Robertson. "There must be something, somewhere or other, in your past life, that wouldn't shine out to any advantage in print. I'm going to camp on the trail of your past performances. And when I strike the crooked by-path I'm looking for, I'll—"

Standish's dark face broke into a smile. The red angry politician's threats seemed to strike within the insurgent some genuine chord of merriment.

"In that case, Governor Robertson," he said pleasantly, "I advise you to waste not one minute of time in setting to work. Because, though I've been able to upset several pet plans of yours during the past six years, you'll find everything I've done to you



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will be as mere child's play compared to what I'll do as soon as I'm in the speaker's chair."

"The speaker's chair!" roared Mark, diplomacy, caution and even a cool fighting knowledge thrown to the four winds. "The speaker's chair! You'll never sit in it! Never in ten thousand years. Not if I have to—"

"Why, hello, boys!" drawled a voice from the doorway.

A man came leisurely down the stairs and laid one hand on Robertson's arm. Voice and action were calm, even pacific. Yet they slammed shut the New Yorker's floodgates of wrath and left him speechless, nervous, almost apologetic.

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